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[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

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[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—An assault case and for using abusive language, was tried before Squire McKim, Murvale. The decision was $1 fine and $14 costs. The parties were Wallace vs. Hill.

—Two men have been engaged for some time catching frogs for the American market. They have been very successful and several barrels have been shipped to the other side. The frogs are worth from 40c. to 60c. per pound.

—Miss Rush is very successful in instructing her scholars, who are fast improving, and they would do better if their parents would send them more regularly.

Yarker.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

—A leap year pic-nic was held last week in Mr. Davy's grove. There was a large attendance from the surrounding country. The young ladies sent out invitations to the young men, who responded cheerfully. The principals were Miss Brown, Miss M. Irish, Miss Snider, Miss Lucas and Miss E. Galbraith. A pleasant time was spent and some matches are likely to follow.

—A lawn party was held in Mr. I. Stewart's grove, on the picturesque shore of Varty Lake, for the benefit of the C. M. Church. There was a large turn-out and a pleasant day was spent. The proceedings were enlivened by music, singing and speech making. The proceeds amounted to $20 which were given to the minister.

—The band have received their new uniforms, and on Saturday evening they were out and paraded. They look well.

—The great heat of last week has dried up the fields, making bad prospects for the farmers.

—Owing to the heat our village dude has replaced his ulster with a duster, which is equally good.

—It appears that Sir John had plenty of time after the centennial to go and spend a week or more down the St. Lawrence. Was he afraid to meet Sir Richard?

—The band went to Centreville Tuesday to play for the Masons on St. John's day.

Wilton.

[Correspondence of THE EXPRESS.]

Wilton does not offer many points for a man to linger over in description. It requires something like a wedding or musical entertainment to awaken his dormant energies, and were it not for the rich musical treat the choir occasionally gives us and the interesting sermons we hear we would have to revel altogether in imagination to satisfy your rapacious appetite for communications.

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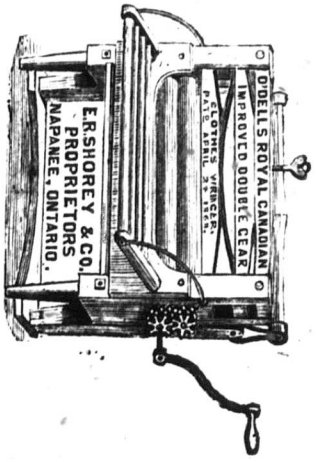


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BAY OF QUINTE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

The Bay of Quinte Conference met at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the Eastern Methodist Church of this town. The Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, who occupied the chair, opened the proceedings with devotional service. Dr. Carman delivered a stirring and eloquent address, in which he referred to the difficulties and triumphs of Methodism during the past. At the close he stated that as the Conference was first called to meet at Picton, it was necessary to open there in order to conform with the act of incorporation. The meeting had therefore been convened at Picton at 7 o'clock on that morning and an adjournment was made till the afternoon at Napanee.

The Rev. John S. Clarke and George W. Webb were appointed provisional secretaries, after which the roll was called, when 131 clerical and 64 lay members reported themselves present.

THE PRESIDENT ELECTED.

The first ballot for President gave John S. Clarke 24 votes, John Learoyd 31, John Bredin 36, and James Curts 51, with scattering votes, making the whole number 194. A majority of the whole number being necessary, there was no election. A second ballot gave Bredin 72 and Curts 90 votes, with a large number of scattering votes. A third ballot gave Bredin 99 and Curts 103 The fourth ballot gave 105 votes each to Bredin and Curts—the chair ruling that as he was not a member of theConference he couldnot give a casting vote. The fifth ballot gave Mr. Bredin 101 votes and Mr. Curts 112, who was declared duly elected. Mr. Curts briefly addressed the Conference, thanking his brethren for the honor conferred on him.

THE SECRETARY.

The first ballot for Secretary gave Rev. John Bredin 125 votes; he was therefore duly elected.

The Conference adjourned till half-past six.

EDUCATIONAL MEETING.

The Conference educational meeting was held the same evening, Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent, presiding.

The Rev. Dr. Bredin briefly introduced the proceedings.

Rev. Dr. Jacques, President of Albert University, addressed the audience, showing that as patriots, we are bound to diffuse education, inasmuch as it tends to ameliorate many of the sorrows and sufferings of life. Education also tends to prolong life; enlarged knowledge tends towards virtue. This is clearly proven by criminal statistics. In our educational enterprise we are thus working for God and for humanity. As Christians, we are called to do all we can in this work. Christianity and true culture are inseparable. The speaker submitted the claims of this society on the Methodist Church in the Dominion, briefly illustrating the amalgamation of Albert University with that of Victoria, and referring to the fact that Albert College remains in Belleville to go on with its work.

The Rev. Dr. Nelles submitted a resume of the work and wants of the several Universiversities and Colleges immediately under the control of the Methodist Church. The income from the western Conferences last year was about $8,000, and the aim is to raise the annual receipts to $15,000. The tendency of university life is towards growth, and the time never can come in the history of our educational institutions when they shall want nothing more; growth is a law of their existence, and with growth there comes a continuous demand for support. The enlargement of the professional staff and the equipment necessary for the several departments

teaching of Holy Scriptures in the public schools.

Mr. Edward Kerr moved, and Rev. Wm. Pattyson seconded a resolution of condolence with Her Majesty Queen Victoria in her recent bereavement in the death of her youngest son.

The Rev. John S. Clarke was elected a member of the Transfer Committee, the Rev. John B. Clarkson, M. A., a member of the Alma College Board, and the Rev. John Bredin a member of the General Missionary Board.

THE MISSIONARY COMMITTEE.

The following laymen were reported as elected to the Conference Missionary Committee:—Belleville—R. T. Lazier; Cobourg—H. Hough, M. A.; Brighton—R. Scripture; Napanee—W. F. Hall; Picton—J. S. Lowden; Lindsay—J. R. Dundas, M. P.; Peterboro—W. A. Morrow.

The Conference adjourned at 11 p. m.

MONDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

The Conference resumed at 9 o'clock Monday morning. The usual devotional services were observed, after which the minutes were read and confirmed.

CONFERENCE ARRANGEMENTS.

The Rev. THOS. MANNING, B.A., read the following report of the Committee on Conference Arrangements, which, on motion was adopted:—The Committee recommend that the Conference of 1885 be held in the town of Port Hope; that each delegate pay $2 towards the expenses of entertaining the Conference; that the secretaries of the Manitoba district meetings collect this amount from each delegate and forward it with the names of the delegates to the secretary of the Billeting Committee stating who have paid; that the Billeting Committee provide a home for each delegate, either in private families, hotels, or boarding-houses; that any delegate declining to pay the $2 required shall be responsible for his own accommodation; that in case of a surplus arising it shall be handed over to the Contingent Fund Committee; that the President of Conference, the Superintendent of District, and the ministers of the town where the Conference is held be a committee to make arrangements for the public service of the Conference.

CONTINGENT FUND.

The Rev. JOHN R. CLARK submitted a series of resolutions for the establishment of the "Home Relief and Contingent Fund of the Bay of Quinte Conference." The motion elicited considerable discussion, and was ultimately referred to a small committee who shall report at a future session of the Conference.

EVANGELISTIC.

The draft of a constitution for a proposed Evangelistic Society was read and adopted, except the last clause, which was referred to the Stationing Committee.

The Committee on the Board of Examiners recommend that the names of James C. Seymour and T. J. Edmison, B.D., be added to the Board.

The Rev. F. H. Wallace, B.D., was appointed examiner for theological students at Cobourg, and Rev. Chas. Fish for the same purpose at Montreal.

On motion the Revs. Dr Jacques and A. Campbell with Messrs. W. F. Hall and J. Aylesworth were added to the Committee on Education, and it was resolved that the Committee be instructed to consider and report as to the future work of the Rev. A. Campbell as agent of Albert College.

The report of the Committee on Statistics was read, slightly amended, and adopted, as follows:—That in the absence of authentic reports from the different branches forming the Methodist Church, the Conference order each Superintendent, immediately on his re-

Ladu, superannuated; Belleville west, J. J. Rice Belleville north, George Leach; Trenton West Charles Fish, Wm. Young, superannuated; Trenton east, George W. Dewey; Wm. E. Norman, superannuated; Sidney, Wm. H. Cook, Biram Williams, Alexander Wright, superannuated; Foxboro, E. E. Howard, B. H. Leitch, A. C. Maybee, superannuated: Canifton, Samuel McCauley, B. A., Hiram Allen; Shannonville, J. C. Ash, R. L. Edwards; Frankford, William H. Peake, Robert M. Pope, W. B. Tucker, T. O'Donahue, to go to College.

Napanee District—Napanee East, M. L. Pearson, L. A. Betts, superannuated; John Inwood, left without an appointment at his own request; Napanee west, J. F. Wilson, D. Wilson, superannuated; Deseronto, D. O. Crossley; Morven, J. A. Jewell, B. A.; Newburgh, Wm. Briden, G. S. Reynolds; Wilton, George Robinson; Odessa, J. J. Leach, Bath, R. N. Adams; Adolphustown, R. N. Young; Bay, J. E. Robeson; Selby, Thos. Clenworth; Roblin, C. P. Frizell; Centreville, James Paul; Tamworth, S. F. Depew; Yarker, M. J. Bates; Marlbank, E. A. Sanderson; Arden, Moses Metherall, N. D. Drew; Plevna, Charles Wearing; Vennachar, E. G. P. Sanderson.

Picton District—Picton, Church street, John S Clarke, Garrett J. Dingman, superannuated: Main street, Wm. Elliott, B. A., who shall exchange with, and be under the superintendency of the Minister of Picton, Church street; Consecon, Thos. W. Pickett; Wellington, E. N. Baker, M. A.; Melville and Hallowell, Wm. Limbert (Chisnolm); Ameliasburgh, S. B. Phillips, Wm. D. P. Wilson; Rednerville, Thos. J. Edmison, B. D., Wm. Sanderson; Bloomfield, Wm. Jolliffe; Cherry Valley, Jas. McFarlane; Milford, W. Tomblin; Cressy, J. C. Seymour, Picton; F. H. Osborne, Prinyer; Demorestville, Wm. H. Palmer; Northport, Christopher L. Thompson.

Brighton District—Brighton, John Bredin, D.D. Charles Taggart, superannuated; R. Hewitt, a member of the Irish conference who is permitted to reside in Canada; Main street, P. J. Park; Colborne, I. Weldon, James Hughes, George Carr, superannuated; Salem, Tobias Myers; Smithfield, Joseph Kilgour; Castleton, Alexander R. Campbell; Hilton, S. A. Duprau; Norham, Alexander Martin; Wakeworth, Wm. Buchanan; Campbellford, Arthur Browning, R. B. Denike, superannuated; Seymour east, George Dunkley; Seymour west, R. W. Marsh; Hastings, E. D. Lewis, Woller, Wm. Tucker.

Cobourg District—Cobourg, Division Street, Francis H. Wallace, B. D., Samuel S. Nelles, D. D., LL. D., Chancellor of Victoria University; Nathaniel Burwash, S. T. D., dean of faculty of theology and professor of Biblical and systematic theology; Alfred H. Reynar, M. A., professor of modern languages and literature; George C. Workman, M. A., adjutant professor in theology; Richard Jones, Robert Brooking, John English, superannuated; Cobourg, King street, Joseph Young; Port Hope, Brown street, John Learoyd, Alex. T. Green, superannuated; Port Hope, Walton street, George H. Copeland, F. R. Hull, supernumerary; Grafton, John W. Marvin; Canton, John Davies, Gilbert Horton; Welcome, R. T. Courtice, W. H. Learoyd, R. Hurley, superannuated; Plainville, Wm. J. Maybee, M. A., H. E. Bailey; Baltimore, Richard M. Hammond; Centreton, Robert Taylor; Venella and Alderville, Joseph C. Bell.

Peterboro District—Peterboro, George street, Isaac Tovell, J. W. Butcher, superannuated; Peterboro, Charlotte street, Thos. Manning, B.A.; Ashburnham, Foster McAmmond, B. A.; Millbrook, James Anderson; Cavan, Albert C. Wilson, South Monaghan, Francis Johnston; Keene, Jno. Toseland; Norwood, Daniel F. Gee; Lakefield, Wm. Johnston, S. W. Thompson; Warsaw, w. W. Lloyd; Bethany and Janetville, David N. McCamus, Ed. A. Tompkin, W. Down; South Manvers W. J. West; Hiawatha, W. V. Sexmith; Blairton, J. W. Puffer; Hall's Bridge, John Mears, under the superintendent of Lakefield; Mud Lake to be supplied from Hall's Bridge; Chandos, J. X. Moran, H. W. Mounteer.

Lindsay District—Lindsay, William H. Emsley, Percy M. Punshon, James Greener, John A. Rogers, superannuated; Dunsford, John Power; Omemee, John C. Wilson, R. J. Fallis; Oakland, A. Doxsee, G. Carpenter; Little Britain, Roger Allen, James Calbeck; Manilla, R. Malletl, B. A.; Cannington, W. Burns, Alfred Inwood, Fenelon Falls, Charles W. Watch; Minden, H. Thomas, J. H. Oak; Haliburton, Edward Keys, Coboconk, T S. McKee, one to be sent; Kinmount, S. Ferguson; Bobcaygeon T. P. Steel, A. L. Adam; Woodville, Wm. M. Pattyson; Beaverton, W. L. Scott; Atherly, Benj. Greatrix, H. C. Garbutt; Victoria Road, Richard Duke; Dalrymple, John Lawrence, Mammoth, Hiram Fusee; David Balfour and M. E. Wilson go to College; Gooderhom, one wanted.

Madoc District—Madec, F. B. Stratton and W. C. Beer; Stirling, Lambley and McQuade; Tweed, Edward Crogg, J. W. Andrews (at Bridgewater); West Huntingdon, J. A. McAmus; Thomasburgh, D. Williams, J. J. Rea; Marmora, Andrew Wilson; Madoc North, R. L. Oakley; Flinton, T. Brown; Limerick, Wm Combe; Bancroft, T. H. McDonald. Cloyne, W. J. Saunders; Wm. B. Tucker, D. Williams, W. Combes. J. Ferguson go to college; W. H. Hudgins to be provided a station.

ment of the professional staff and the equipment necessary for the several departments of science claim a continuous and increasing financial support. The speaker referred to co-education as a comparatively new feature in college life, and he hoped that Albert College would soon be filled with students and its treasury replenished with funds. Referring to the location of Victoria University at Cobourg, he said that if it were to remain there they would require at least $100,000 to erect suitable new buildings. There was a strong feeling in the west that Victoria ought to go to Toronto. In that case $500,000 would be needed for building purposes. In reference to amalgamation with the Provincial University, he thought that the advocates of that union do not fully understand the position. Their views are partial and one-sided. So grave a question cannot be settled without patient and prolonged study. Victoria University never would contract her sphere of operation to a mere theological school. The true theory is for the church to hold herself responsible for the entire education of her youth.

FRIDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Conference opened at 9 o'clock Friday, President Curts in the chair. After devotional services, which were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Bredin, the minutes were read and confirmed. The Secretary nominated the Rev. J. J. Rice, Assistant Secretary, and the Rev. Mr. Emsley Journal Secretary. The nominations were confirmed by the conference.

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS.

The following Committee on Nominations was reported as elected by ballot:—Revds. John Learoyd, J. Clarkson, M. L. Pearson, J. S. Clarke, T. Manning Wm. Burns and Messrs. T. Gibbard, S. Wilmott, J. Aylsworth, G. D. Platt, J. C. Sherm, Wm. Eyres. The Committee was instructed to nominate Standing and Special Committees on Missions, Education, Memorials, Course of Study, Contingent Fund, Sabbath Schools, the State of the Work, and the Centenary of Methodism in America. The Committee were allowed to retire, and afterwards brought in their report on the above committees, which was adopted by Conference.

ONTARIO LADIES' COLLEGE.

Mr. H. B. Taylor, Treasurer of the Ladies' College, in Whitby, was introduced to the Conference, and addressed the assembly on the position and prospects of that institution. It was moved by Rev. Dr. Badgley, and seconded by Rev. Mr. Leach, "That having listened to the address of Mr. H. B. Taylor, and also the address of Rev. I. Tovell, a visitor of the College, we heartily express the pleasure given to us by their statements, and extend to the college our cordial sympathy and patronage.

The cordial greetings of the Guelph Conference were presented by telegram to the Bay of Quinte Conference.

The Secretary was instructed to send a suitable reply, and also to send Christian greetings to the Toronto Conference now in session.

The report of Alma College for the past year was read by the Secretary. The institution is in a prosperous condition.

On motion, the Rev. Richard Jones was added to the Committee on Education, and appointed Treasurer of its funds.

After an interesting discussion, involving the fate of several motions and amendments it was resolved that the next annual meeting of this Conference commence on the first Thursday in June, 1885. A resolution of thankfulness for the partial restoration to health of the Rev. Dr. Rice was cordially adopted by a rising vote.

On motion, it was resolved to appoint a small committee to act in conjunction with similar committees of other evangelical bodies to secure a place for the Methodist Church, the Conference order each Superintendent, immediately on his return, to furnish a correct report of the membership and connexional funds by appointments to his successors and also to the Financial Secretary of his district, who shall immediately report to the Secretary of the Conference; the membership to include those on trial under 16 years of age and the amount of salary.

The Rev. Dr. JACQUES read the pastoral address which was adopted.

The Conference adjourned at half-past four in order that the Stationing Committee should complete their work.

The Conference met at 8 o'clock Monday evening and was opened with the President in the chair. The reports of the following committees were read and adopted: On Sunday Schools, Alma College, on the Children's Fund, on Missions, on Temperance, on Church Property, on the Pastoral Address, and Sale of Church Property.

CHURCH PROPERTY.

The following properties were allowed to be sold, the proceeds to be applied according to the terms of the basis of union:—M. E. Church in Colborne, M. E. Church at Zion, M. E. Church in Castleton, C. M. Church in Providence, C. M. Church in Tamworth, Church at the Armstrong appointment, Church in Sydney, B. C. Church in Cobourg, B. C. Parsonage in Port Hope, Mallory's Church in Grafton, M. E. Church in Smith's Falls, M. E. Church and Parsonage in Campbellford, B. C. Church and Parsonage in Campbellford, M. E. Church and Parsonage in Hastings, M. Church in Lifford, B. C. Church in Lindsay, M. Church in Woodville.

SUPERANNUATES.

The Revs. Thos. Woolsey, John Ferguson and Eli Woodcock were placed on the list of superannuated ministers.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

The committee reported organization as follows:—Rev. John Bredin, D.D., chairman; Rev. Isaac Lovell, secretary. It was resolved that the examiners shall forward their manuscript questions to the secretary the first week in April; the secretary shall superintend their printing and distribution; the Board of Examiners shall meet the probationers and candidates in Brighton on the last Wednesday in April, 1885, at 9 o'clock a.m., and the certificates shall be presented to the successful candidates at the close of the examination.

HELP WANTED.

A memorial from the Official Board of the Tabernacle in Belleville was received, asking for financial relief from the funds proposed to be raised for embarrassed churches. The memorial was referred to the committee on the Centennial of Methodism.

A RESIGNATION.

Rev. Mr. MAVETY, M.A., tendered his resignation and asked for credentials of ministerial standing. The request was granted with expressions of regret that Mr. Mavety should feel it his duty to sever his connection with the Methodist Church in the Dominion.

EVANGELISTICAL AGENCY.

The report of the committee on the State of the Work, which recommended the employment of one or more evangelists, was received. The Stationing Committee recommended that the question of employing an evangelist by the Conference be deferred for one year. After discussion the recommendation was adopted.

FINAL LIST OF STATIONS.

The secretary read the stations as finally revised by the committee as follows:—

Belleville District—Belleville Centre, John B. Clarkson, M.A., Wellington Jeffers, D. D., superannuated; Tabernacle, James Curts, president of conference; J. R. Jacques, D. D., principal of Albert College; W. P. Dyer, professor of natural sciences; A. Campbell, bursar; Wm. Bird, S. W. [illegible], W. Combes. J. Ferguson go to college; W. H. Hudgins to be provided a station.

DISTRICT OFFICERS.

After which the following officers were elected:—

Belleville District—President Curts, Superintendent; Chas. Fish, Financial Secretary.

Napanee District—M. L. Pearson, chairman; and Wm. Breden, Financial Secretary.

Picton District—John S. Clarke, Chairman; and Thos. Pickett, Financial Secretary.

Brighton District—John Breden, D.D., Chairman; and A. Browning, Secretary.

Cobourg District—John Learoyd, Chairman; and Joseph Young, Secretary.

Peterboro District—Isaac Lovell, President; J. Anderson, Secretary.

Lindsay District—Wm. Burns Chairman; Wm. Emsley, Secretary.

Madoc District—O. R. Lambley, M.A., Chairman; F. B. Stratton, Secretary.

In the afternoon session the reports of the Committees on Church Property and the State of the Work were presented.

Rev. Mr. Clarkson resigned his position on the Conference Special Committee, in order to allow the ex-Bible Christian Church to have representation thereon. The name of Rev. J. J. Rice was then substituted.

Rev. Wm. Joliffe was elected a representative to the Sabbath School Board.

It was moved that the financial secretaries meet the day before conference to make their returns to the general treasurers of the connexional funds.

The Centenary Fund Committee urged that the fund be employed to aid in connexional purposes. Another item of the report asked that $2,500 be raised within the bounds of the conference to cover church debts, etc., half payable this year and half next. Referred to the special conference committee.

There was considerable discussion over the request for special aid for the Tabernacle church, Belleville. Some maintained that it was necessary to still hold the church, others that it should be sold. It was urged that the singling out of one church for aid was a bad precedent. Anything done in connection with the edifice must be done before the 1st August.

It was ordered on motion that each superintendent of circuit, seeing that there is only one collection for the Contingent Fund in the year, bring this collection well before the minds of his people.

THE PRESIDENT'S CLOSING ADDRESS.

President CURTS then expressed his gratitude to conference for its forbearance. He had not heard one unkind word during all the session. Of course they had been enthusiastic and in earnest, but had considered the feelings of every brother. He trusted that the spirit of Christian sympathy and love would continue and get stronger until the perfect day. They were now about to separate, and in the ordsr of kind Providence hoped to meet again, but if not he wanted to meet all in that grand and glorious region above. He trusted that Good would make this year the most successful they had ever seen. He believed such would be the case; did the conference? (Cries of "Yes, yes.") If it pleased the Lord we shall have it. The brethern should come to next conference bearing many sheaves, which shall by and bye be the stars in their crown of rejoicing. May God grant it.

The doxology was sung heartily and the President pronounced the benediction.

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MARRIAGES.

BRENNAN—LYNCH—At Centreville, on Monday 23rd of June, by the Rev. Father Twomey, Mr. Daniel Brennan of North Fredericksburgh, to Miss Mary Lynch of Croyden.

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SIDNEY'S FOLLY

CHAPTER I.

When John Daunt built the first cloth mills at Ashford, in Broadshire, the county gentry, who mustered pretty strongly in the neighborhood, had been at first petrified with astonishment, then boiling over with indignation. That their charming valley should be disfigured by those ugly structures of brick and mortar rising on its most beautiful sites, that their silvery streams should be stained with obnoxious dyes, that the streets of their quiet sleepy aristocratic old town, which piqued itself on its Conservative principles, should be overrun by mill hands, that their select but eminently dull society should perhaps be taken by storm by some objectionable tradesman who had made his money by broadcloth, was not to be borne with equanimity. The whole population—at least the "upper ten"—of Ashford rose up in arms; they would petition Parliament—they would show these upstart *nouveaux riches* that they were not to be imposed upon; they would send Mr. Daunt to Coventry, and take very good care that their doors were not open to him.

It was doubtful whether John Daunt was ever aware of the animosity with which they regarded his establishing himself among them. If he was, he certainly took no heed. The sites chosen were admirably suited for his purpose, the water of the pretty river winding in and out among the hills like a silver eel was excellent for dyeing, and no opposition would have prevented him from carrying out his plans. Swiftly and inexorably the great many-windowed buildings rose, with their outbuildings and boilers and chimneys. Presently the silvery waters in the neighborhood of these buildings became of as many colors as Joseph's coat, and on the surrounding fields lay great layers of wool drying and bleaching; long rows of pretty little cottages sprang up as if by magic; loud bells rang at stated hours, calling the mill hands to work or announcing their dinner hour, disturbing the decorous quiet of the little town; busy workers passed to and fro, the tradespeople brightened at the rapid increase of business. Mr. Daunt advertised for plans for a new church, the parish church not being sufficient for the increased and increasing number of inhabitants; and from a quiet sleepy indolent centre sprang up a hive like community.

But the climax of Mr. Daunt's presumption was only reached, in the eyes of the gentry of Ashford, when he purchased the beautiful estate of Lambswold, and settled there with his wife and little son. Lambswold had been for centuries in the possession of the ancient but impoverished family of Langdons; and the last of the race was heartily glad to find a purchaser for an estate which he had neither the means to keep up nor the inclination even if he had had the means. The sale itself was bad enough, Ashford thought; but that the beautiful park and stately Elizabethan residence should become the property of a tradesman was infinitely worse. To be sure, their views were modified a little when it became known that Mr.

languor which characterised his manner. His hair was dark, and slightly waved, but cut close to a well shaped head, set proudly upon his shoulders, and he wore a short thick dark beard, which made him look older than his thirty years. His dress was extremely plain, and utterly void of any suspicion of dandyism, but he wore it easily and well, and the cut of his coat showed that he patronized a first-rate tailor and did him honor.

The great iron-clamped hall door behind him was wide open, but Stephen stood looking over the autumnal landscape with a very softened dreamy look in his gray eyes and a little smile about his mouth, like the expression of one who has some pleasant thought to bear him company. He lingered thus for a few minutes; then he turned and entered the house.

The gray autumn dusk had crept into the great hall, and was struggling with the ruddy light of the blazing fire for the mastery. It was a stately, lofty apartment, with a floor and ceiling of shining dark oak, the latter massively carved, and a superb wainscoting and panels of the same wood. There was a Turkey carpet in the centre of the polished floor, the furniture consisting of high backed carved chairs, and oaken cabinets containing curious old Indian china; and a handsome black retriever rose up from a rug before the fire, and came to meet Stephen, wagging his tail in friendly salutations, and looking up into his face with pleading, beautiful brown eyes.

"Eyes like," Stephen Daunt began, half aloud, then broke off suddenly, with a little laugh, and a slight color in his usually pale cheek, which perhaps had been brought there by the heat of the great wood fire burning so cheerfully on the open hearth under the tall carved mantel piece, the shelf of which was about level with Stephen's head, as he stood tall and straight before it.

Perhaps it was the recollection of those other eyes of which Rover's eyes reminded him which made him bend over the dog and stroke his shining head so gently; but Stephen Daunt was very fond of animals, and they returned the affection with interest.

"How are you, old fellow?" he said cheerily. "You ought not to lie so near the fire; it will do you no good. Where are the ladies, Brooke?" he asked turning to a servant who was crossing the hall and came forward to remove his young master's overcoat.

"Her ladyship is in the yellow drawing room, sir; I have just taken tea in there."

Most of the sitting rooms at Lambswold opened into the hall; and passing through a little ante-room full of old china and *bric-a-brac* of various kinds, Stephen entered the yellow drawing room, pushing aside the heavy Eastern looking *portiere* with due precaution, for Lady Eva's nerves were not, or she thought they were not, of the strongest, and her son loved her tenderly and believed in her ailments implicitly.

The autumnal dusk which the ruddy glare of the fire had so successfully combated in the hall had obtained more mastery in the yellow drawing room, where the light of the wood fire was carefully shaded and screened. It was a long nar-

"Then why don't you pour it out?" he asked.

"I thought you would prefer waiting for Sibyl," Dolly answered. "You always say her tea is the best."

"You lazy little mortal! I verily believe you do not want the trouble of pouring it out!" said her brother, laughing. "Where is Miss Neil?"

"She is out."

"Out? Then we certainly shall not wait for her. Where is she gone? Into town?"

"No, only into the park. I thought you would have met her. She said she would not be long, and she has been gone nearly an hour."

"Well, I don't think we need wait for her," Stephen Daunt remarked. "Give me some tea, Dolly."

"Miss Neil was entertaing Mr Rutledge most of the afternoon," said Lady Eva languidly, as her son brought her some tea, and stood holding the sugar and cream while she sweetened it to her taste.

"Indeed," he said slowly, his face changing a little. "I suppose she required some fresh air after her exertions?"

"She said she did," Dolly answered laughingly. "Here is your tea my impatient brother!"

"Thank you, my Griselda among sisters," he said, taking it from her and going back to his arm chair. "How did it happen that Miss Neil had to do the honors to Mr. Rutledge?"

"Simply because he asked for her," Dolly replied quickly.

"Asked for her!" the young man echoed in surprise. "For Miss Neil?"

"Even so," Dolly replied sententiously, and there was a little silence, during which the girl's bright eyes glanced keenly at her brother's face as he lay back in his chair sipping his tea lazily, with an expression she could not quite understand.

"Did he remain long?" he asked presently.

"Yes, nearly an hour."

Stephen laughed a little, and the shadow which had gathered on Dolly's pretty face lifted slightly.

"It would be a most excellent match for Miss Neil," Lady Eva said, in her calm even tones. "He is very well off and holds a good position. If she refuses him, it will be very foolish of her."

"I hardly think she means to refuse him," Dolly remarked, with a troubled look on her fair young face.

"No, she is a sensible girl," rejoined Lady Eva. "Handsome as she is, she could not have expected such good fortune. Men do not generally care to marry girls who have no antecedents, neither family, nor position, nor money."

"But Sibyl is so beautiful, mamma."

"Yes; but that alone is not sufficient," Lady Eva answered. "She is too silent on the subject of her family not to wish to hide something."

"But one does not marry a woman's family—one marries herself," remarked Stephen cooly from the depths of his arm chair.

"But one likes to know whom one is marrying," Lady Eva returned quickly. "Mr. Rutledge is so hopelessly in love that he does not consider the matter

To be sure, their views were modified a little when it became known that Mr. Daunt's wife was an earl's daughter; and presently people thought it would only be right to call upon Lady Eva Daunt and receive her husband for her sake; and, having once done so, they found that the despised tradesman was a true-hearted, upright, honorable man, none the less a gentleman in the only true sense of the word because he was a clever man of business, who had to some extent indeed been the maker of his own fortunes. And thus gradually Mr. Daunt became the most influential man in Ashford, not only because of his vast wealth, but because of his great ability.

When his son was old enough to take an active share in the management of the business, John Daunt was elected to represent his borough in Parliament—the first Liberal candidate ever returned for Ashford. This honor—one he duly prized and appreciated—kept Mr. Daunt in London during some months of the year; but Lady Eva and her young daughter remained at Lambswold. Her ladyship's health was very delicate, and she was never so well as when she was at Lambswold. It would be time enough to go to London, she said, when she was obliged on Dolly's account; but Dolly was only seventeen now, and could not be presented yet. And Stephen Daunt, for reasons best known to himself perhaps, preferred Ashford to any other spot on earth; he had made the grand tour on leaving college, and had never cared to go away for any time since. He was thoroughly interested in his business, anxious for the moral and physical welfare of the "hands," and, if there were any other attraction which kept him at Lambswold during eleven months of the year, Dolly, with her bright blue eyes, was the only person who suspected it.

After all, it would have been difficult to find a more charming home than Lambswold. The quaint old house stood in the midst of a well-wooded, extensive, and beautiful park which always looked lovely—in the spring with its tender greens and budding leaves, in the summer with its fuller, richer beauty, in the autumn with its varied tints of brown and russet and orange, and in the winter, when the grass was covered with snow and the trees were hung with icicles glittering in the sunshine like myriads of diamonds.

It was autumn now—for the month was September. But few of the leaves had fallen as yet, for the weather had been mild and balmy; but the green of the foliage had given place to gold and brown and russet, and it was only the more lovely for the change.

Stephen Daunt, coming round from the stable yard, whither he had driven on his return from the factory, to see a favorite dog which had been ailing, stood still for a moment on the broad stone steps leading up to the hall door, and looked away over the park, which familiarity had by no means robbed of its beauty in his eyes.

He was a tall man of thirty, strongly yet finely built, with dark gray eyes, which, although their usual expression was keen, almost piercing, could look very tender at times. He was not a handsome man, but he was pleasant to look upon, and there was something very attractive in the blending of strength and tery in the yellow drawing room, where the light of the wood fire was carefully shaded and screened. It was a long narrow room with three tall French windows opening on to a terrace, and lighted in the immediate vicinity of the fire by two shaded lamps, which made a soft pleasant illumination at the end of the dim room. Two ladies were sitting there in the mellow lamplight. One was leaning back in a cushioned arm chair, with closed eyes and a bored, languid expression on her still beautiful refined face; the other was sitting on a stool, an open book upon her knee, and the light fell upon her as she sat, turning her pretty fair hair into threads of gold and touching a flower-like young face which bore a strong likeness to the other lady's lovely faded countenance.

As Stephen entered, two pairs of blue eyes turned towards the door and brightened perceptibly—eyes very like each other even now, although one pair was faded and languid, the other bright and clear—and two voices in glad tones uttered his name—

"Stephen!"

The young man went forward, smiling, and giving one swift glance round the room. Perhaps he was disappointed at finding his mother and sister its only occupants; but there was no trace of disappointment in his voice as he bent over his mother and put his lips to her brow.

"Mother, how are you to-day?" he said gently; and Lady Eva Daunt smiled languidly, and said she was pretty well, and asked if he was not rather early, and looked at him kindly with her pretty, faded blue eyes, very fond and proud, as they always were when they rested on her son.

It was always a subject of faint wonder to Lady Eva how she had become the mother of such a tall son, she herself being so small and fairy-like, like her daughter, who was a regular "pocket Venus," and who looked not unlike a pretty piece of Dresden china, as she stood in the firelight, smiling at her tall brother, in her pretty velvet dress of a rich crimson hue, with a quaint Vandyke collar and cuffs at her white throat and wrists, a most becoming dress to her flower like complexion and golden hair.

"You are delightfully early to-day, Stephen,' she said gaily. "It is so pleasant to see you!"

"Is it? That is a very welcome greeting, Dolly," he replied, in a low mellow tone. "I suppose you have been somewhat bored?"

"Just a little. You are in time for some tea."

"So I was glad to hear from Brooke," he answered, leisurely dropping into an arm chair near the little tea table. "Mother, I had a telegram from London this afternoon.

"I had a letter from your father," she said languidly. "He is well, and will return in a few day. I suppose your telegram related to business."

"Yes, partly," Stephen answered slowly, smiling a little, for Lady Eva's knowledge of business was absolutely *nil*, and her indifference equalled it. "Well, Dolly, is the tea sufficiently drawn?"

"Yes, I think so," Dolly replied, peering into the Queen Anne tea pot with a little laugh.

marrying," Lady Eva returned quickly. "Mr. Rutledge is so hopelessly in love that he does not consider the matter sufficiently perhaps, and Miss Neil is a very lucky girl."

"How lucky, *madre*?"

"To marry so well," Lady Eva answered, relapsing into her usual languor, but glancing keenly at her son nevertheless.

"To marry a man she dislikes!" Stephen Daunt said contemptuously.

"Why should she dislike him?" Lady Eva said plaintively, flushing a little.

"I know no reason; but that she does so is almost evident," Stephen replied calmly. "Dolly, some more sugar, if you please."

"I have seen nothing to make me suppose she dislikes him," his mother rejoined.

"Have you not, *madre*? Where have your eyes been?"

"I saw that she was flirting with Frank Greville," Lady Eva said, putting down her empty cup. "But that, of course, would be absurd. He is some years her junior. Mr. Greville would not hear of it, and Frank could not marry without his father's consent. Besides, Mr. Greville has other views for his son."

"Frank is hardly likely to let those views prevent him from falling in love," Stephen replied, with a sudden color in his face, as he impatiently caught up a little hand screen of peacocks' feathers and held it between his face and the fire.

"No, perhaps not; but those views would effectually prevent Miss Neil from giving any serious encouragement to his attentions," remarked Lady Eva, with some decision; and there was another pause.

Dolly glanced wistfully at her brother. He was sitting leaning a little forward, with a thoughtful, almost sad look on his face; then, meeting her glance, he smiled, threw aside the little screen, and rose from his seat.

"I think I will go and have a cigar before dinner," he said carelessly. "Will you have a turn with me, Dolly?"

"Yes. I have not been out to-day," the girl answered readily. "I will not keep you waiting, Stephen. Can I do anything for you before I go, mamma?"

"No, thank you, my dear. Don't stay out long," continued her ladyship, nestling back upon her cushions. "It is damp and chilly to-night."

Stephen had not to wait many minutes before his sister joined him; and they sauntered away together, Dolly's hand through her brother's arm, Stephen with a cigar between his lips. The dusk had crept over the park now, and there was a slight mist rising, but it was pleasant enough in the long avenue.

Both brother and sister were silent for some minutes, then Dolly spoke, with just a *soupçon* of timidity in her sweet girlish voice.

"Do you think Sibyl will marry Mr. Rutledge?" she asked.

"If he asks her, I dare say she will," Stephen answered hurriedly, some painful feeling making his voice rather husky and strained. "For goodness sake drop the subject, Dolly! I am tired of it. For the last month Miss Neil's matrimonial chances have been the subject of conversation everywhere. I am tired of them."

Dolly's blue eyes opened to their widest extent. Stephen was, in general, so calm and languid and even-tempered that his irritability rather surprised her; and she held her tongue discreetly, wondering what had annoyed him. They strolled on in silence under the clustering foliage.

"Was not that some one like Frank Greville?" Stephen said, breaking the silence at last, and removing his cigar from his lips as he looked after a man's figure hurriedly disappearing in the direction of the lodge.

"I did not notice," Dolly answered. "It would not be Frank though, Stephen, because he has not been here this afternoon.

"He may have met Miss Neil in the grounds, and remained with her.'

"Shall we go down the covered walk then?" Dolly suggested. "We shall meet Sibyl, if she is still out."

They turned into a walk leading from the avenue to a more retired part of the grounds, which was so favorite a walk of Lady Eva's when she was able to be out that it was generally called "My Lady's Walk," and one or two pretty garden seats had been placed there for her convenience. The young people were walking slowly, still arm in arm, and the tip of Stephen's cigar was burning redly in the twilight, when Dolly suddenly quickened her pace.

"There is Sibyl on the second seat," she said hurriedly. "She is resting I suppose."

"Yes, that is Miss Neil," Stephen responded, hastening also; while Dolly raised her voice and called out gaily—

"Sibyl, Sibyl!"

There was no answer, and the lady on the seat did not turn her head towards them.

"She has gone to sleep," Dolly said, laughing, as they hurried on; but the next moment, when they reached the seat, they found that she was not asleep, but evidently a prey to some overwhelming fear or agitation, which made Dolly run to her pityingly and put her arms round her.

"Why, Sibyl, what is it, dear?" she asked gently; and Miss Neil rose, looking around her with wild terrified eyes.

Even her intense pallor and convulsive agitation could not conceal the wonderful beauty of Dolly Daunt's governess. Her features were perfectly regular and purely Greek in outline; her eyes, now wide and wild and fearful, were "darkly, deeply, beautiful blue;" in stature she was tall and queenly, and the graceful form which stood swaying to and fro was clad in soft dark robes which fitted it to perfection.

"What is it, Sibyl?" Dolly repeated. "Are you ill? Oh, Stephen, she will fall!" the girl cried in distress.

"She has been frightened," said Stephen, in a low voice, giving the failing form the support it needed. "There is nothing to fear now, Sibyl," he added gently.

At first the gentle words seemed to have no significance, for the girl stared at him wildly; but the next moment she murmured something unintelligibly with pallid lips, the convulsive movements of her hands ceased, and her head fell back on Stephen's shoulder as she fainted away.

FOR THE FARMER.

How One Farmer "Struck."

The last year's crop of potatoes was a large one all through the country, and it became evident to a Central Massachusetts farmer, who reads the papers, that the price must rule low through the winter, and that his best time to sell would be directly after harvesting. Having decided to sell he approached a few of the grocers in the village of his town, and proposed to furnish them with a few hundred bushels to supply their retail trade, requesting them to let him know when they were ready to lay in their stock for the winter.

Supposing from their replies that he would be duly notified, he went home and harvested his crop which was a fine one. A few days later carloads of potatoes arrived from out of the State, and were unloaded into the dealers' cellars. On learning of the fact our enterprising farmer inquired, "Why is this thus?" and the following conversation, in substance, passed between the parties:

Farmer—"Mr. Grocer, did I not ask you to let me know when you was ready to buy my stock of potatoes, and did you not promise to do so?"

Grocer—"Well, yes, I suppose I did, but then I had no idea that you would be willing to sell yours at any such price as we can buy these carred potatoes for, from Maine and New York State."

F.—"But it was your duty to do as you promised before purchasing. Now what do these imported potatoes cost you?"

G.—"We pay fifty-five cents by the carload."

G.—"Then including cost of trucking from the cars to your cellars, and the loss of weight from shrinkage between the field where they were grown and weighed, perhaps two or three weeks ago, they must cost you about sixty cents a bushel in your cellars."

G.—"I suppose about that figure."

F.—"Now I have made up my mind to sell you my potatoes at sixty cents per bushel, and if you should have done by me as you agreed, the trade would now be made, and I should be hauling the potatoes to your cellar."

G.—"Well, if you wish to sell at fifty-five cents, what we paid for the others, we will take them."

F.—"No! But that is not what they cost. If you take mine you must pay me sixty."

G.—"Can't do it."

F.—"My dear friend, I am a citizen of the same town in which you are doing business. I am taxed heavily for the privilege of owning a farm, and living and working upon it, within convenient distance of this village market, and I propose at this time to show you that I intend to make the most of the advantages for which I am taxed. If your policy is to give your trade to farmers four hundred miles away, out of town, and out of the State, then I must protect myself as best I can. Tomorrow morning I will have circulars printed, and ready to distribute to every house holder in this village, and in those circulars I will state that I have just harvested a fine lot of first quality home potatoes, which I will deliver to families in five or ten bushel lots, at sixty cents a bushel; that I will receive orders by post-

to load a light manure cart, with sprinkler for spreading on the land; such apparatus would not be very expensive; its cost would probably be repaid by the increased product in a very few years, and the labor of handling the liquid in this way would be far less than of loading and spreading manure in the ordinary way. Those who have used a windmill, and knows how cheaply and easily it pumps a large supply of water, will readily understand how easily the liquid manure could be taken care of in this way.

Such an arrangement would be very useful also upon a market garden where strawy horse manure is handled from the city in large quantities, and must be kept from overheating in summer. If wet down often with liquid manure from a windmill tank, it would rot rapidly, and be worth several times as much as the "firefanged" mass we often see on gardeners' premises in autumn.

The problem of applying the sewage of our large cities to irrigation is still puzzling the best engineers; the sewage could be used, perhaps, with profit in a dry summer, but what to do with it in a wet summer, or in winter, are still unsolved questions. It must be disposed of all the time, and the only safe way now seems to be to dump it into the sea at enormous expense and at considerable risk of filling the channels of our harbors.

Harrowing Spring Crops.

It was just twenty-three years ago when I wanted to harrow in a field to which access could only be had by the road a mile around, or across a corner of a field of fall wheat. I told my man to drag the harrow across the wheat. "It will destroy it," said he. "Never mind, I don't think it will; and if it does it is better than going around by the road." It was done, and the wheat was supposed to be ruined. It was a heavy straight-toothed harrow. But by and by a bright green stripe could be seen across the wheat where the harrow had gone over it, and when we came to look at it, the plants were taller and thicker than anywhere else. And when the wheat was cut the man remarked as we crossed the strip, "there's where we drew that harrow." Since then I have harrowed every crop in the spring—the fall grain, corn and potatoes. The harrow is a light one, with forty teeth, which slope backward, and it loosens up the ground about the fall grain, and mellows the soil for the grass seed. Corn and potatoes are harrowed as soon as the planting is done, and again when the plants first show above ground. Not one plant in a hundred is disturbed, but the young weeds lie on the surface in myriads. I have kept up the harrowing until the plants were several inches high, and if it were not for the necessity for working the soil my last years' corn crop would have needed no cultivation at all after the second harrowing, for it would have kept them down without help. I have learned to believe very firmly that the harrow is the most useful of our farm implements, and if we only study it and its work more we shall appreciate it far more highly than we do, and of course we shall use it more skilfully and profitably.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

SNAKE POISONING.

mured something unintelligibly with pallid lips, the convulsive movements of her hands ceased, and her head fell back on Stephen's shoulder as she fainted away.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Woman's Toothache.

She looked in at the dentist's door, say the Lewiston *Journal*, and said she had a tooth she believed had a cavity in it, may be she'd have it out if he wouldn't hurt any. The dentist aasured her he never hurt anybody. She said she expected her teeth would hurt awful hard. They wasn't like anybody's else. He said he guessed that was so. She said she knew it would kill her to have a tooth pulled, for she couldn't stand anything. She knew she should faint or scream or do sonething horrid, and the like of that ; she always did. He said he didn't believe she would do so very badly, but she said she should. Oh, she knew she should ; she wasn't like anybody else in this world, and her teeth were awfully sensitive. Mary Ellen Jones could sit right down any day and have any amount of teeth out, and the like of that, but she never could, she knew she couldn't. She said she could fly right up through the roof to think of it. The dentist said she might take something, but she said she couldn't, she shouldn't dare to. She'd heard of a girl out west who took laughing gas and she laughed three weeks and the like o' that, and all the family went crazy ; and she didn't want to drive her family crazy, for if their girl went away they were going to break up this summer and go down to the beach, and she was doing everything she could to make it hard for the girl so she would go away, for she'd heard there was a lovely rink down to the beach and the like o' that, and she wanted to go. And then she asked the dentist if he thought her mouth would be a good one to fit false teeth to. He said she'd better sit down and let him look at the one that ached, but she said she guessed she wouldn't trouble him to-day. The tooth didn't ache any then ; she didn't know as she could tell which one it was and maybe 'twas only tired, she'd chewed so much spruce gum this spring and like o' that ; anyway she wouldn't bother him. She 'sposed dentists were awful busy folks. And she gave place to an unshaven man then jumped five feet in the air when the dentist pulled out a molar with inch fangs.

"I regard the use of beer as the true temperance principle. When I work all day and am exhausted nothing helps me like a glass of beer. It assists nature you understand." "It makes a fool of me," the friend replied. "That's what I say. It assists nature."

They chopped down one of the big trees of Mariposa, Cal., a few days ago, the rings of which betokened its age to be 4,300 years, and imbedded in the heart of the monarch of the forest was found a joke about house-cleaning and a man falling down stairs on a piece of soap.

It is not sufficient to constitute ourselves just men and women that we may strictly pay our debts, keep our promises, and fulfil our contracts, if at the same time we are stern where we should be kind, hard where we should be tender, cold where we should be sympathetic ; for then we pay only half our debts and repudiate the other half.

vested a fine lot of first quality home potatoes, which I will deliver to families in five or ten bushel lots, at sixty cents a bushel ; that I will receive orders by postcard, and will set apart two days in each week for filling the orders, so that all may be served promptly ; and further, I will offer to sell sample lots of a peck for trial at fifteen cents. I am going to sell my potatoes, and sell them as soon as I can at that price. I am not going to peddle them, but shall sell at wholesale price, and in wholesale quantities."

G.---"Well ; I suppose you may bring us fifty bushels."

F.---"No, my friend, that looks too much like peddling them to sell to you in fifty bushel lots, when you buy of the Aroostook County farmers by the car load. I will not sell you so small a lot as fifty bushels ; you are a dealer, and buy in large quantities, the way I wish to sell."

Exit Farmer, who calls upon the two or three other grocers, where a similar line of conversatien is carried on, with similar results. Farmer goes home, and prepares copy for the printer. Before it is finished a dispatch is received from Grocer No. 1, which reads in this wise :

Mr. John Doe, Dear Sir.---On further consideration of your proposition, and after consulting with my partner, we have concluded to take what potatoes you have to spare. You may deliver us two hundred bushels ; take a hundred bushels to the store next to ours, another hundred to the neighbor across the street, and if there are any left Mr.-------will take the balance. Believe me your obedient servant. RICHARD ROE.

The strike was ended without blows, blood, or bitter feelings.

Liquid Manure.

The Boston *Farmer* says:---Probably there is no one leak so generally neglected on the average New England farm as the waste of liquid manure. In spite of all that chemists tells us of its value, and in spite of the experience of practical men who have put its value to the test of trial upon their crops, the waste go on. The barn is located on soil with good natural drainage with the express purpose of getting rid of the troublesome wet cellar, and the very life's blood of the farm allowed to leach away to pollute the nearest spring or water course. Chemists tell us, and practical men confirm their statements, that the liquid excrements are worth more than double the average solid excrements of ordinary farm animals ; especially is this the case with horses. The question remains how to save them. Probably the small farmer who keeps ten head of cattle or less will find it most practical to use plenty of absorbents, such as forest leaves, dry muck, dry loam or sawdust, one or all of them within easy reach ; straw with us is too valuable, being worth now in Boston more than good English hay.

Where a larger herd of twenty or more cattle are kept, we are inclined to believe that it would be good economy to make a tightly cemented cellar under the stable, draining into a liquid manure tank, capable of holding the drainage of the cellar for several months ; let the windmill or steam engine, which pumps water for the stock, be connected with another pump with a small elevated tank to store a few hundred gallons of the liquid, high enough we shall use it more skilfully and profitably.---*N. Y. Tribune.*

SNAKE POISONING.

Dying by Inches after the Bite of One of India's Deadly Serpents.

Among many instances of snake-bite poisoning I have seen was a strong young Brahmin of 20, well-known to me, who had been bitten during the night while watching his maize crop. Ere I knew of it they had brought him into my compound in front of the bungalow. As yet he walked quite steadily, only leaning slightly on the arm of another man. There was that peculiar drowsy look in his eyes, however, as from a strong narcotic, which indicated his having been bitten for some time, and left but little room for hope now. He could still clearly tell me particulars. He had been bitten, he said, on putting his foot to the ground while moving off his charpoy in the dark, but, thinking the bite was that of a non-poisonous snake, had given no more heed to the matter, and gone to sleep again, till he was awoke by his friends coming in search of him. With some difficulty I was able to find the bite—very faint, no larger than a prick from a pin, but still the unmistakable double mark of the poison fangs. He felt the poison, he said, gradually ascending the limb, and pointed to a part just above the knee, where he felt it had already reached, the limb below that being, he said, benumbed and painless to the touch, like the foot when "asleep."

I gave him the remedies, and kept him walking to and fro, but gradually his limbs seemed to be losing their power of voluntary motion, and his head was beginning to droop from the overpowering drowsiness that was surely gathering over him. At intervals he pointed out the poison line steadily rising higher, and was still able to answer questions clearly on being roused. At length it seemed to be of no use torturing him further by keeping him moving about, and he was allowed to remain at rest. Shortly after this while being supported in a sitting posture, all at once without any premonitory sign, he gave one or two long sighs, and life ceased, about an hour after he himself had walked into the compound.

There was something terribly real in this faculty of pointing out each stage of the ascending poison (as the snake-bitten patient always can) that was gradually bringing him nearer and nearer to death, with the prospect of only another hour or half hour of life remaining to him ; and yet the patient does not seem to realize this with the keenness that an on-looker does, probably from the poison benumbing at the same time the powers of the mind, as well as of the body.

A master joiner in the village of A——— having occasion to go out on business that would detain him for some time, left instruction with his apprentice as to the jointing of some planks. "I want them so," said the master, "that not even a hair could get between them." On his return, he asked if the planks were done. "Oh, aye," quoth the apprentice, "they're dune ; an' I don't think a *hare* could get between, but I think it could get it's fit in."

If any man offend not in word, the same is a perfect man.

Steamboats.



THE REINEEER.

CAPT. COLLIER.

The new, fast and commodious Steamer "Reindeer" will, until further announcement, run on the following route :—Leave Conwa Dock, South Fredericksburgh, at 5.30 a.m. for Picton and Napanee, touching at all intermediate ports, will reach Napanee at 10 a.m. Returning, will leave Napanee at 3 p.m. and Picton at 5.30 p.m.

Napanee, May 7th, 1884. 30

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Arr. Trenton	11.00	Arr. Picton	7.00 "

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West Half Lot 10, 2nd Con. Camden, containing 100 acres; 75 acres under cultivation, remainder pasture land. This property adjoins the village of Napanee Mills, five miles from Napanee and 1½ miles from Newburgh. There are on the premises a frame house, large barn with stone stables underneath.

A Death Warning.

Towards the close of November, 1779, Lord Lyttleton had gone down from London to Pitt-place for the purpose of spending a week or two in field sports or other recreation, and he had taken with him a gay party of friends. On the 24th of that month he had retired to bed at midnight, after spending the evening at cards with his guests, when his attention was attracted by the fluttering of a bird, apparently a dove or a pigeon, tapping at the window of his bed-chamber. He started, for he had only just put out his light, and was about to compose himself to rest, and sat up in bed to listen. He had gazed and listened for a minute or so, when he saw, or at all events fancied that he saw, a female clothed in white enter—whether by the door or by the window we are not informed—and quietly approach the foot of his bed. He was somewhat surprised, and not agreeably surprised, when the figure opened its pale lips, and told him that three days from that very hour he should cease to live. In whatever manner this intimation, real or unreal, from the other world was conveyed to him, whether by sound of the voice or by any other mode of communication, one thing is certain, that Lord Lyttleton regarded it as a reality, and a message from the world of spirits.

The third night came, and everything had gone on as usual. The guests had sat down to dinner, played their rubbers of whist and retired; but none of them had dared to rally the young Lord Lyttleton on the depression of spirits under which he labored. Eleven o'clock came; the party broke up and went to their several rooms, wishing each other goodnight, and heartily desiring that the night were passed and gone, so restless, anxious, and uncomfortable did they feel without exception. Twelve o'clock came, and Lord Lyttleton was sitting up in bed, having given his servant orders to mix him a dose of rhubarb, though apparently in the best of health. The dose was poured out, and he was just about to take it when he found there was no teaspoon. A little out of patience with the valet for neglecting to have a spoon at hand, he ordered him to go and fetch one from the pantry at the foot of the stairs. The man was not absent from the room more than a minute, or possibly a minute and a half, but when he returned he found his master lying back at full length upon the bed speechless and motionless. No efforts to restore animation were of any avail, and no symptom of consciousness showed itself. His lordship was dead, having died on the third day, as the spectre had foretold.

A piece of steel is a good deal like a man; when you get it red hot it loses its temper.

"Poor John, he was a kind and forbearing husband," sobbed the widow on her return from the funeral. "Yes," said a very sympathising neighbour, "but it's all for the best. You must try and comfort yourself, my dear, with the thought that your husband is at peace at last."

AYER'S PILLS.

THE ASSASSIN'S HORSE.

The Steed that Bore Booth Away the Night He Murdered Lincoln.

Much has been written about the movements of John Wilkes Booth after he had assassinated President Lincoln, but the question has often been asked, "What became of the horse that he mounted in the alley in the rear of Ford's theatre and rode to the lower part of Maryland, accompanied in his flight by the young man Harold?"

At the time the tragedy was enacted by Booth he had for some time previous been a guest at the National hotel. In the rear of the hotel, on C street, and upon the opposite side is a large livery stable, which in 1865 Mr. James W. Pumphrey was, and is at the present time, proprietor of

Mr. Pumphrey, in conversation with a Washington *Republican* reporter, gave the following interesting particulars concerning the hiring of the animal which Booth rode on Good Friday, 1865, the night of the assassination.

Said Mr. Pumphrey: "Booth had been taking rides for six months prior to the day preceding the night of the assassination. He generally came to the stable in the morning, but sometimes in the afternoon. On Good Friday he came to the stable at about 1.30 p. m., and asked me for his horse. His favorite horse was a large sorrel. I told him the sorrel was hired out, but that I could let him have a small bay mare then standing in a stall. He said, 'All right,' and asked me if I would go and have a drink with him, which I declined.

"While the animal was being saddled and bridled, Booth, who always wore spurs when riding, stooped down and commenced putting on the spurs, which had been handed him, right near a pool of muddy water, made by the washing of carriages. I remonstrated with him for doing so, and asked him why he didn't put his foot upon a box. 'Oh! it doesn't make any difference,' he replied. He showed the same affable and pleasant manner so characteristic of him when coming to the stable, and apparently had nothing special upon his mind. He always wore one suit when riding, a dark blue suit, with a slouch hat of color to match. I saw him mount and leave the stable, but have never seen that bay mare since. She was a mare that could make very good speed, and as horses were high at the time I valued her at $240."

"What do you suppose became of the animal?"

"All I know about it is this: During the trial I was told by Harold that before Booth and he crossed over to the Virginia side of the Potomac they destroyed the horses they rode."

Continuing, Mr. Pumphrey said: "At the time of the assassination police headquarters were on Tenth street, where a military court of inquiry had been established. Upon going to police headquarters I was shown a spur, which I swore to having been worn by Booth. I was requested to be very careful in my testimony, and was asked how or by what particular mark I could tell the spur was the one usually worn by Booth. 'Because,' I replied, 'it is a fine steel spur, and as I have handled it so often I ought to know it.' I was then asked to select from a

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Napanee, April 9th, 1881. 22-3mos.

replied, 'it is a fine steel spur, and as I have handled it so often I ought to know it.' I was then asked to select from a number of hats shown me the one that Booth wore on the day he hired the mare, and after tumbling over several of them I selected the one which I have referred to. The spur was found sticking in a portion of the decorations of the box at Ford's theatre from which Booth leaped on the night of the assassination. I can not say where the hat was found, whether in the theatre or the alley where he mounted and rode off. I never received any compensation for the loss of the mare.

"On the night of the assassination several of the government detectives came to my stable, and I was the first one to give them a clew to the whereabouts of Payne, Booth, and Harold. I told them to go first to the residence of John Surratt's mother, on H street, and there to Surrattsville. The result of this clew is, of course, familiar to everybody."

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All money must be sent by post office or express. No information will be given to any one more than is stated here. So send on answers, and don't waste time writing. Do not send postage stamps unless six cents is added for the discount. Remit by postoffice order, script or small coin.

THE BIBLE QUESTIONS

1.—Mention the case of a man who was sorry for loosing what he had borrowed?

2.—Mention the names of a king, a counsellor, and a scoundrel who committed suicide?

3.—Where is mention made in the Bible of a man who had on each hand six fingers and on each foot six toes?

Now, any one having a knowledge of the Scriptures ought to be able promptly to answer these questions with a little study, and so secure some one of those rewards. Bear in mind every one competing must send FIFTY CENTS with their answers, for which the *Ladies' Journal* will be sent one year to any address. If you answer each of the questions correctly and your answers are in in time you are sure to secure one of these costly rewards.

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4 to 7—Four fine, heavy Black Silk Dress Patterns	240 00
8 to 19—Twelve quadruple plate Ice Pitchers, finely chased	390 00
20 to 31—Twelve Genuine Coin Silver Hunting-case Ladies' Watches	360 00
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The list of consolation rewards will be given to the *last* one hundred and fifty-seven persons who send correct answers to the Bible questions given above. But bear in mind, your letter must bear the postmark where mailed of 11th September, the closing day of the competition. Fifteen days will be allowed after closing day for letters, from distant points to reach the *Ladies' Journal* office. But you can, of course, send in any time between now and the 11th of September, and your letter will take its place at the publication office in the order it arrives there. All letters are carefully numbered as they arrive, and there can be no mistake. If your answers are correct, and they reach there in time, you will surely get some reward in addition to *The Ladies Journal* which alone is big value for the half dollar. If you don't get anything but the *Journal* you will be well pleased with your investment, as it consists of 20 pages of fashions, illustrated, short and serial stories, poetry, newest music, household hints, etc., etc.; in fact, just the paper to suit every lady.

By subscribing in a club with your neighbours you will secure some considerable advantage—that is, there must be least thirty of a club, and all who send correct answers to the Bible questions may have their choice of a handsome ring, heavily gold-plated ladies' gold brooch, which retails at about one dollar and a half, or a triple-plated butter knife. Either of these you may wish will be sent postage paid. You will thus secure to a certainty one or other of those two presents, and in addition will have as good an opportunity of gaining some one of the other large rewards in lists given above just as well as though you had sent in singly. This is simply an inducement to get up clubs. We are sure our readers could not do better than to try their skill in hunting up these questions and competing for these rewards. Everything will be carried out exactly as promised.

Prizes in last competition went all over Canada and to many parts of the United States.

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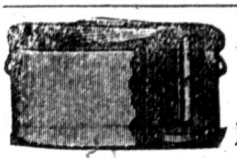
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—Remember Dominion Day celebration at at Bath. A grand time is promised.

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—The brick work on Dr. Leonard's new block is being pushed along rapidly.

—The Napanee Cornet Band has been engaged for the celebration at Bath on Dominion Day.

—On Tuesday evening six cars filled with volunteers for the camp at Kingston passed through town.

—A meeting of the directors of the N. T. & Q Ry., will be held on Monday next for general business.

—The meeting of the Board of Health was to have been held on Monday night last, but there was no quoram.

—Mayor Joy evidently intends to be a terror to evil-doers and tramps. Eleven were sent up in one day this week.

—"Only a Woman's Heart" on Monday evening next. Newton Beers and Miss Lilian Pomeroy are unsurpassed.

—The Scott Act demonstration which was announced for Dominion Day is postponed.

—The Episcopal Memorial Church at Adolphustown is called the church of St. Alban the Martyr.

—Mr. Hugh Grange has removed his stock from his late premises to those formerly occupied by E. R. Martin, next door to the Beaver office.

—Mr. A. P. Wickware of Cloyne reports having seen in that vicinity a herd of moose deer, the first ever seen in this section of country.

—Work is being pushed on the Tamworth end. A train was sent to Yarker for eighteen hands on Wednesday and one hundred are expected to arrive about Monday.

—The Rev. C. L. Thompson of British Columbia will preach in the eastern Methodist Church next Sabbath morning and evening.

—If you want to buy sugar cheap, your attention is directed to J. F. Whelan & Co.'s advertisement in another column.

On Wednesday last as Mr. Sager of the Deseronto road was passing the Huffman cemetery his horse took fright at a passing bicyclist and ran away breaking his buggy.

—Mrs. A. C. Davis of Adolphustown went out to a well last week with a tea kettle of boiling water. She fell into the well which was some twelve feet deep and sustained some injuries, her arm being severely scalded.

—The weather of last week was oppressively hot. The thermometer ranged as high as 95° in the shade. On Wednesday there was a marked change in the temperature and resort had to be made in the evening to overcoats.

—On Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Card of the west end Methodist Church, by special request, will preach the funeral sermon of the late Mrs. Jaynes. On Sunday evening Mr. Card will preach his farewell sermon. He leaves for Brockville next week.

—The Golden Auger has got the best stock of harvest tools and machine oils in this town, and is selling them cheap and don't you forget
H. W. PERRY.

—The printers of the town intend giving a select picnic on the 22nd of July of which further particulars will be given next week. They intend making it a most enjoyable affair. The Napanee cornet band (Mr. Amos Kimmerly, leader) will accompany them. They should be well patronized.

—At the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars, held in Toronto this week, Mr. T. W. Casey was re-elected G. W. Secretary; Mr. Thos. Lawless was elected G. W. C. and Rev. J. J. Leach, of Odessa, G. W. Chap. The next meeting will be held at Hamilton, on the fourth Tuesday in June, 1885.

—A grand farewell social will be given Rev. S. Card in the west end Methodist Church on Monday evening next. Strawberries and ice cream will be provided in abundance and a good programme will be surnished. A general invitation is extended to make this farewell social a grand success. Tickets, 20c.

—The place in town to obtain first-class western flour is at the store of Mr. John Blewett. Only a trial is needed to convince anyone that it is the best. Western shorts, the finest in the market, also always on hand. A car load of fine dairy factory salt just received, cheap. Barrel salt, $1.25. Groceries of all kinds cheaper than ever.

—The students of the Collegiate Institute Kingston, have been undergoing military drill under a trained Sergeant of "B" Battery. This is a fixed item on the High School programme. If the same were adopted in the Napanee High School an improvement would be effected in the bearing of some of our

—There will be a grand strawberry and ice cream festival under the auspices of the Methodist Church, in Mrs. P. Miller's grove at Napanee Mills on Tuesday evening, July 1st. The grove will in all probability be illuminated by electric light. Besides an abundance of strawberries and ice cream an entertaining programme has been provided. All are invited. Tickets, 25c.

Accident on the N., T. & Q. Railway.

While seven cars were coming down the grade from the gravel pit Wednesday afternoon they got out of the control of the brakesmen and commenced to run at a terrific speed. The driver of the engine on the road heard them coming and suspecting something was wrong put his engine in motion. He was too late however to escape them and they ran into the engine with a terrible crash. Two of the cars were entirely broken up but luckily the engine escaped damage. This is the most serious casuality that has happened yet upon the road.

Serious Runaway Accident.

On Sunday last as the Misses Slush and Miss Bird of Stoco, and Mrs. Elliot of South Fredericksburgh, returning home from the country where they had been visiting, reached the market square it was thought best to give the horse a drink. They stopped at the pump on the square and Mrs. Elliot jumped out, handing her baby to Miss Bird. She undid the bit to allow the horse to drink, but just at that moment a parasol frightened the animal, which dashed down Centre-st. When it reached the corner of Dundas and Centre streets it turned sharply, throwing out the occupants. The horse then ran down Dundas-st., where it was caught. Miss Bird was the most severely injured, it being found upon examination that both of her wrists were broken. The child of Mrs. Elliot, which was in the arms of one of the young ladies, was stunned, but escaped further injury. Miss Slush sustained a severe sprain of the ankle. The other young lady was uninjured. The buggy was pretty badly smashed.

St. John's Day.

The Freemasons of Centreville and surrounding district celebrated the festival of St. John the Baptist at that village on Tuesday last. Napanee was represented by Messrs. Ogden Hinch, C. Z. Perry, J. Walters, Wm. Shannon, W. C. Scott and Mayor Joy. The representatives marched in a body to the Methodist Church where Rev. Mr. Smith, Presbyterian minister, preached an able and instructive sermon appropriate to the occasion. The annual installation of the officers of Victoria Lodge, No. 299 of Centreville, was then proceeded with, conducted by Ogden Hinch, P. M., of Napanee. The following were installed:—H. A. Baker, I. P. M.; A. Wilde, W. M.; W. J. Mulholland, S. W.; Wm Lockridge, J. W.; J. D. Wagar, Sec.; W. A. Rombough, Treas.; J. B. Lucas, L. D.; E. H. Perry, J. D.; Seymore Keller, I. G.; A. Walsh, O. G. Dinner was afterwards served by Mr. D. P. Clute in the Town Hall in his well known excellent style. A notable feature of the dinner was the presence of a large number of ladies. All were highly pleased with the day's proceedings.

Stabbing Affray near Lonsdale.

On Tuesday a serious stabbing affray which may yet have a fatal result took place at a logging bee at Michael Kennedy's in the 4th concession of Tyendinaga, about half mile north west of Lonsdale. Jack McAuley and James Alexander, both considerably under the influence of liquor, quarreled over some old feud they had, and others joined in. They were pacified for a short time but soon renewed the quarrel. One

Lilian Pomeroy are unsurpassed.

—A couple of attempts were made last week to burglarize houses but in both cases the burglars were frightened away.

—The regular meeting of the Town Council will be held next Monday night unless the heat prevents a quorum from being formed.

—No. 4 troop of cavalry of Napanee and district went to Kingston on Tuesday where twelve days' drill is to be held on Barriefield Commons.

—Residents living along the river above the covered bridge complain that parties who go in bathing, break down the fences and do other damage.

—Last week a child only a few days old was left at the door of a prominent resident of Centreville. The township council is now providing for it.

—Messrs. Robt. McDonald and Amos Kimmerly are this week putting in annual drill at Trenton with the 49th Batt. of Belleville, of which they are members.

—To-morrow being the 28th of June, the day appointed for observance of Her Majesty's birthday, will be recognized as a bank holiday throughout the Dominion.

—Rev. G. E. Benn will hold service on Sunday in the Town Hall every fortnight at 2:30 p. m. He will discourse next Sunday on "Baptism." All are cordially invited.

—As there is to be no celebration in town on Tuesday next (Dominion Day) our townspeople will likely avail themselves of the attractions offered at Kingston and other places.

—The St. Lawrence base ball club of Kingston, have made arrangements with the Newburgh club for a match on Dominion Day. The Newburghers are old hands at the business.

—The following were appointed officers of the Napanee Cornet Band at a meeting held a short time ago: W. R. Mitchell, Pres.; Amos Kimmerly, Treas.; William Burns, Sec.

—Capt. McCracken of the Salvation Army, formerly of Napanee, has been gaoled in Grand Rapids. Her conduct has merited the publication of her portrait in the War Cry.

—We understand it is the intention of some of our bicyclists to compete in the Meet and Tournament of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association to be held in Toronto on July 1st. We wish them every success.

—The Oddfellows are looking forward with great anticipation to the International Demonstration to be held at Brockville on the 9th, 10th and 11th of July. The arrangements are being completed and it is expected to be the greatest demonstration ever held in the St. Lawrence district. The medals to be given for athletic sports are now on exhibition in F. W. Smith's window.

—On Saturday last as Rev. Mr. Phillips of Morven, accompanied by Mr. German of Picton, was driving into town, the horse turned into a lane which it had been accustomed to enter, and the buggy overturning, the gentlemen were thrown out. They alighted within a few inches of a telegraph pole, which, had they struck, would no doubt have caused serious injuries. As it was they were pretty badly bruised.

—Rev. Mr. Duprau being about to remove from Morven offers for sale at the parsonage, Morven, the following articles of furniture, etc.:—Parlor suite, book case, dining room furniture and house-keeping utensils; also a quantity of wood and a horse and buggy. These must be disposed of before the 9th of July. Intending purchasers can examine them at any time. 32-2.

be effected in the bearing of some of our young men.

—Mr. W. D. Madden is going to enlarge his stock of organs. He has some of the finest instruments on hand now that have ever been seen in Napanee, and in a short time will receive some of a different style. One of the new styles will be with a pipe top of most elegant design and finish. These instruments have only to be seen to be appreciated.

—The Chautauqua movement has been extended to include the young folks, who already have a "Reading Union." They are now to have an illustrated periodical of high character, which will be issued in July by the publishers of the far-famed Wide Awake magazine, D. Lothrop & Co., Boston, who will send it free for two months to any of our readers who may request it.

—The 47th battalion band have secured the services of Mr. Wright of Kingston, formerly in "B" Battery band. He is an experienced cornetist and will prove a valuable acquisition to the band. They have received new selections of music this week. They will play on Dundas-st. this (Friday) evening instead of Saturday evening on account of the absence from town of their leader, Mr. Brooks.

—The ropes that hung Tompsett and Lowder in Picton have been cut into little pieces, and in nearly every house in Prince Edward an inch or so of strand, neatly knotted, is to be seen. Young ladies talk silly about the little bit of hemp and declare, with an ugh! "I wouldn't touch it for anything." A prominent merchant in Picton says if the demand continues he has a coil of rope that may be utilized. Who'd know the difference?

—The Napanee Cornet Band made their first appearance on the street on Saturday evening in their new uniforms, which are very neat and elegant. The material is of navy blue; sack coats buttoned close with small turn down collar, heavy gold cord on sleeves and shoulders and gold buttons; the pants have wide gold braid down the sides and the cap is the Gilmore pattern with gold cord reaching over the top. They were furnished by the clothing house of A. Rose & Co., and are models of workmanship. The playing of the band was much admired.

—Rev. J. J. Leach of Odessa was down on the first draft of stations for the Tabernacle, Belleville, but a change was subsequently made and Rev. Mr. Curts, President of the Conference, was given the Belleville post and Mr. Leach left in Odessa. The good people of Odessa are greatly rejoiced that Mr. Leach is to remain with them for he is dearly beloved by all. We may state that the proposed promotion to Belleville was quite unsolicited by Mr. Leach and that while he fully appreciates the good opinion formed of him by the stationing committee is satisfied to be left where he is, as he believes the President is entitled to the larger field.

—The Orangemen of Lennox and Addington will celebrate the 19th anniversary of their order on the 12th July, by a grand picnic and concert in the maple grove on Basswood hill near Centreville. At 11 a. m., a promenade concert; from 12 to 1, dinner, and at 1:15 the concert of the day will begin. The artists in the concert will be Mrs. McCullough, nee Miss Barr of Hamilton, Miss Burton of Kingston; Rev. H. G. Parker of Toronto; Miss Shibley of Newburgh and Miss Armstrong the wonderful whistler of New York. An oration will also be delivered by a gentleman selected for the occasion. The 47th Batt. Band will also be present.

Good the Year Round.

At all seasons when the system is foul and the digestive powers feeble, or the liver and kidneys inactive, Burdock Blood Bitters are required.

time but soon renewed the quarrel. One Joe Morden knocked McAuley off a fence but he arose quickly and commenced a tussle with Morden, stabbing him at the same time. The night was dark and the knife was not noticed until Morden had received about twenty cuts. Two of these were very severe, one being in the neck near the jugular vein and the other over one of his lungs. Morden walked about twelve feet and then fell. Drs. Redner of Lonsdale, Clinton of Deseronto and Donovan of Melrose were immediately sent for and dressed the wounds. The cut on the side is more dangerous than was first thought, it being large and leaving the lung exposed. If inflammation can be prevented the doctors think he will pull through. No arrests have yet been made. McAuley escaped and has not yet been captured.

Dominion Day at Enterprise.

The good people of Enterprise have arranged for a grand celebration on Dominion Day in that village. A most highly interesting and amusing programme has been prepared at a large expense and it is one calculated to afford an entertainment worthy of the patronage of the people of the surrounding country. At 10 a. m., the Carniveroautiterocion Troupe will give a gigantic comic procession accompanied by a select band secured for the occasion. In the afternoon the athletic games and sports will take place, consisting of foot races, horse races, sack race, tub race, jumping, etc., for which suitable prizes will be given. Another item of interest will be a boxing match with soft gloves between C. Kelley, English professional, and John T. Niff, amateur. A wrestling match will be engaged in by two experts. In the evening a mammoth torchlight procession will be given, followed by a magnificent display of fireworks. Those who wish to engage in dancing will have ample opportunity afforded them. No pains and expense have been spared to make this an unqualified success. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

An Elegant Clothing Store.

Mr. J. F. McAlister removed this week to his new premises in the Aylsworth block, and is fully settled. He has now the handsomest clothing and gent's furnishing store in the province, nothing in Toronto being equal to it. Shelves are entirely dispensed with, except in the rear where two large cabinets with glass doors extend along the sides. The front space is occupied in the centre, by five large handsome show cases in ebony an silver which contain gent's furnishings of all kinds, while on the sides are a number of tables of ash and walnut upon which are piled immense quantities of tweeds and ready-made clothing. The show cases which are from the establishment of M. Frost & Co., Belleville, and the tables which were manufactured by J. Gibbard & Son, are of beautiful design and highly finished. It is Mr. McAlister's intention in future to confine his operations to fine ordered clothing, hats and caps and gent's furnishings, and with this object in view has selected a stock which is complete in every respect. The finest goods are shown in every department. The ordered clothing department is under the management of Mr. Williamson, a cutter of wide experience and whose skill is acknowledged by all who have garments from him. His room is in the rear of the main store and the manufacturing department occupies the greater portion of the upper storey. The general appearance of the store is indicative of refined taste of the proprietor. The establishment is highly creditable to the town and therefore we wish Mr. McAlister a full measure of success in his new departure.

Lennox Reform Association.

The adjourneed meeting of the Lennox Reform Association will be held in the Opera House on Saturday, July 5th, at 2 o'clock p.m. It is to be hoped there will be a large attendance as important busisiness is be transacted.

POLICE COURT.

[Befcre Mayor Joy.]

FRIDAY, June 20th, 1884.—James Dixon was arrested at the instance of Jacob Ham of North Fredericksburgh, for furious driving and breaking his (Ham's) buggy at the Centennial on the 17th inst. Mayor Joy sat on the case this evening, and after hearing the evidence fined Dixon $5 and costs. Mr. Ham's buggy was overturned and himself thrown out by Dixon's driving, the buggy being now a complete wreck. Mr. Dixon held that he could not hold the horse and the collision was purely accidental. He has appealed the case.....John Parkins was brought before his Worship on the charge of drunkeness and paid the regular sum of $1 and costs....Lorinda Luffman was up before His Worship this morning charged with disorderly conduct and being a common prostitute. Several witnesses were heard in the case and the evidence all went to show that she was an exceedingly hard character. She had broken the furniture in her husband's house and made life miserable to him generally. His Worship on hearing the evidence fined her $40 and $11.70 costs or six months in gaol. She was imprisoned for three days when her fine was paid by her husband who had repented.

SATURDAY, June 21st.—George Williams, a navvy, was charged by Constable Holmes with being drank and disorderly. He confessed to the fault and was fined $1 and $4.50 costs or ten days in gaol. His fine was paid.....Wm. Hourie, John Mewell, Robt. Smith, James Ruston and John McDonald, five other navvies, were up on the same charge and were fined $1 and $4.50 costs each. Mr. Row, contractor, paid their fines.

WEDNESDAY, June 25th.—Alexander Fee was up this morning on the charge of indecent exposure on the street. Fined $5 and costs or twenty days in gaol. He was allowed till 2 o'clock to get the money and during the afternoon paid $3, but since then has not been seen. It is believed and hoped he has left the town....Mary Morrison of Clarksville, made her appearance before the Mayor this afternoon charged by Mrs. Lafferty with insulting and abusive language and assault. The evidence went to show that Mrs. Lafferty had sustained a choking at Mrs. Morrison's hands. The latter is very quarrelsome and troublesome to her neighbors and has been in the police court before. She was fined $5 and costs or thirty days. Plaintiff wanted defendant bound over to keep the peace, but upon the latter not respondingin this matter she was committed to gaol.

OBITUARY.

The Late John Aylsworth, Esq.

After a long and painful illness Mr. John Aylsworth passed away at the residence of his son, Mr. Jehial Aylsworth, Robinson street, Sunday morning last. He was born at the family homestead near Bath, in Ernesttown, in the year 1803. When he came of age and could manage for himself he purchased a farm near Odessa and after living there some time removed to N. Fredericksburgh, but afterwards removed back to Odessa. The greater portion of his life he spent in these townships. About twelve years ago his health began to fail him and he removed to town taking up his residence

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years ago his health began to fail him, and he removed to town taking up his residence with his son, with whom he has resided ever since. He was a quiet, unobtrusive man and never sought any public positions or honors. His tastes did not run in the direction of display of any kind, and therefore, notwithstanding, he was always a staunch Reformer, he took no part in the organization of the party, but merely cast his vote when the time arrived. The only field in which he took a prominent position was in the church and in its work he took a very deep interest. At an early age he connected himself with the Canada Methodist body and for upwards of forty years was a local preacher and class leader. His disposition was of the kindest and with none was it better displayed than in his treatment of little children with whom he was, especially in late years, a great favorite. He was one of a family of nine, one elder brother surviving him. He also had a family of six, four of whom are still living. The funeral took place Wednesday morning Switzerville cemetery, the remains being placed alongside of his wife. The funeral was largely attended. The pall bearers were Messrs. C. R. Miller, James Shorey, Miles Shorey, Chauncey Lapum, Peter Fegart and Geo. Cliff, all old friends of the deceased. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Wm. Briden, by request of Mr. Aylesworth some years ago, in the Switzerville church. It was a most appropriate discourse and did full credit to the memory of the good man over whose remains it was said. Among the relatives present from a distance were two daughters, Mrs. Carscallen and Mrs. Wright of Dresden, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. McKim of Cleveland, Ohio.

Lennox Agricultural Society.

A meeting of the directors of the Agricultural Society was held in the council chamber on Saturday last for the purpose of revising the prize list and appointing judges. A communication was received from Mr. J. B. Aylesworth, one of the members of the Council of the Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario, asking the Lennox Society to appoint two judges, one on Ayrshire cattle, and the other on agricultural implements, at the Dominion Exhibition. On motion Mr. W. N. Doller was elected judge of agricultural implements and Mr. Benjamin Briseo, jr., judge on Ayrshire cattle. On motion Messrs. Wm. Miller, W. N. Doller, R. H. Potter and the Secretary were appointed a committee to have a new fence built round and enlarge the track on the exhibition grounds. It was decided to grant the following special prizes:—For best display by merchants, 1st, $10; 2nd, $6; for best exhibition of hardware, $8 and $6; for best trotting stallion, $5. The meeting then adjourned. The show will be held in Napanee on the 6th and 7th of October next.

Notice.—If the person who took a parcel containing a shawl and two feather pillows done up in a shawl strap from the Reindeer, on the 18th, will kindly leave the same at the EXPRESS Office or at the residence of Mr. Charles Stevens, they will be rewarded. If the articles are found in any one's possession in one week, they will be prosecuted.

Napanee, June 26th, 1884.

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Reception of Bishop Cleary.

The Bishop of Kingston returned on Wednesday from Rome, for which place he started on Oct. 8. Rev. Fathers Gauthier and Twohey proceeded to Quebec and greeted His Lordship on landing from the "Parisian" and Mgr. Farrelly and Fathers McCarthy, Murray, Shanteen, McDonough, and Hogan went to meet him at Montreal. The Catholic people prepared a remarkable reception. There was a great display of banting, and when the Bishop arrived in a special Pullman car, which ran over a number of fog signals en route to the city from the lower depot, he was greeted with music from the band of B. Battery and the applause of a vast multitude. A procession was formed and proceeded to the Cathedral, where a considerable body of clergy were in attendance.

HYMENEAL.

A most auspicious event was celebrated at the residence of Mr. F. Webb last evening, being the marriage of his daughter Lizzie, to Mr. N. W. Gautt, of Kingston. The ceremony was performed at half past eight by Rev. M. L. Pearson, in the presence of a large number of friends. The bride was attended by Miss Eva Taylor, while the groom was supported by Mr. J. W. Reid. After the ceremony the guests sat down to a sumptuous repast and a most pleasant time was spent until the midnight hour, when the happy couple and friends left on the train. They will in future reside in Kingston, where the groom is very popular. The following is a list of presents:—

Silver breakfast cruet, Mr. J. W. Reid; two napkin rings, Miss E. Taylor; cruet stand, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Waddell; biscuit bowl, W. J. Livingston; chair, Mr. James Reid; easy chair, R. J. Reid; table napkins and cloth, Miss Georgie Reid; parlour lamp, Mrs. E. and Robert Gautt; china tea set, from the bridegroom's employer; parlor lamp, Miss Jane Reid; silver sugar bowl and spoon holder, A. Empey; silver cruet stand, W. Shannon and A. Spellman; glass fruit dish, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Henderson; silver cake basket, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor; silver card receiver, J. M. Anderson; pair vases and picture, Miss Rose Beeman; toilet set, Mr. and Mrs. J. Noyes; crumb brush, Miss Rose Embury; silver sugar spoon and butter knife, Mr. Will Tobey; port folio, Mr. T. Hosey; silver card basket, Mr. J. M. Taylor; kitchen furnished by the boys of Kingston, silver spoon holder, Mrs. G. K. Steward, and numerous other elegant presents.

In Miss Webb the town loses one of its most estimable young ladies. All, however, join in tendering congratulations and a host of good wishes.

DUKE—SPRAGUE.

The Rev. Richard Duke and Miss Mary Ella Sprague were united in holy matrimony at the residence of the bride's father, N. Sprague, Esq., Demorestville, on the 26th inst. The guests were numerous, comprising several of the elite of Prince Edward. The presents were costly and beautiful. The ceremony was conducted by the Rev. M. L. Pearson. The happy couple left for an extended tour among the Islands, carrying with them the good wishes of all.

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